SECTION 11. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That the Washington County Commissioners shall present a plan to implement a County land preservation and landowner equity program to the members of the General Assembly representing Washington County on or before January 1, 2005. The plan shall establish annual goals for financial support and acres of land preserved.

SECTION 12. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect June 1, 2004.

Approved April 27, 2004.

## **CHAPTER 206**

(House Bill 806)

AN ACT concerning

## Economic Development Financial Assistance - Minority Business Enterprise Procurement Goals

FOR the purpose of requiring that a recipient of certain financial assistance awarded under the Economic Development Opportunities Program Fund and the Maryland Economic Development Assistance Authority and Fund to comply with certain minority business enterprise procurement goals under certain circumstances; requiring that certain minority business enterprise procurement goals be included in certain financial assistance agreements; authorizing the Department of Business and Economic Development to require certain recipients of financial assistance to submit certain information; requiring the Department to submit an annual report to a certain committee; defining certain terms; providing for a delayed effective date; and generally relating to applying minority business enterprise procurement goals to financial assistance for economic development awarded under the Economic Development Opportunities Program Fund and the Maryland Economic Development Assistance Authority and Fund.

## BY renumbering

Article 83A – Business and Economic Development Section 5–1411 to be Section 5–1412 Annotated Code of Maryland (2003 Replacement Volume)

## BY adding to

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